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Honorable Commissioner
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Washington, D.C. 20231

Re: U. S. Patent Application
Serial No.: 09/631339
Filed: August 3, 2000
Applicants/Inventors: RIRIE, Kirk M
WITTWER, Carl T
For: CONTAINER FOR CARRYING OUT AND MONITORING
BIOLOGICAL PROCESSES
Roche Ref.: 18645 US12
Our Matter: 7475-66667

Dear Sir:

The above-referenced patent application was filed on August 3, 2000. Since that time, we have received no further correspondence concerning this application.

Furthermore, on July 11, 2001, the undersigned submitted a Request for Corrected Filing Receipt. We have not received the corrected Filing Receipt.

We would appreciate receiving notice of the status of this application as soon as possible. Please confirm receipt of this letter by date stamping and returning the enclosed file receipt card.

Respectfully submitted,

Jill T. Powlick

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